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Dear

Since receiving your letter of 1 January, I have had one or two talks with General Gruenther on the subject of personnel and have taken the occasion to mention you and your qualifications. I do not know what if anything will result as I did not feel in a position to press for any commitment.

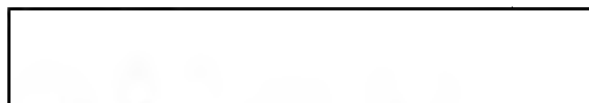
General Gruenther is just now in the process of organizing his staff. However, I hope you will get the assignment you want.

It may be that it is possible you might be interested in the work of the Central Intelligence Agency. If so, please let me know.

Faithfully,

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